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From the Richmond Dispatch.

LESPEDEZA STRIATA.

What we Know about it, and What we do not know.

I have written a good deal upon this subject, yet nothing, I trust, superfluous, considering the manifest importance of it. If ever there was a matter deeply concerning to these Southern States it is that to which their attention is now so earnestly called—that is, the supply of the great agricultural want which every man engaged in the cultivation of the earth has felt to his heart's core from the first settlement of the country. Had any one a few years ago indicated that the time was at hand when the waste and desolate lands which have so long disfigured its aspect, and not only these, but its woodlands, its roadsides, its lanes, its pine thickets, its hedges, its barren hills, and its rich valleys, were about to be covered with a nutritious and most beautiful herbage adapted to the use of every living thing that eats grass, and fitted to sustain as large if not a larger number of stock of all kinds than the red-top and timothy of New England, or the blue grass of Kentucky, he would have been considered a madman. Such a thing would have been looked upon as an absolute impossibility, and men would have sneered and hooted at the very idea of it: so little can we sometimes foresee the changes which are about to take place. Yet that this change is about to take place—that it is at this very time taking place—that it has already taken place to a very considerable extent in some parts of this and the adjoining counties—that it is here as well as in parts of several other States going on rapidly to its completion—that in less than ten years, with a little energy and moral courage on the part of our agriculturists, the whole Southern landscape, in many places heretofore so desolate and dreary, is to be covered with one bright and beautiful smile, is as certain as it is that any effect must follow its adequate cause. No man here in his senses who sees the Japan clover spring up spontaneously along every highway, following up every by-path, cow-trail, and wagon track; showing itself in smooth, green, carpet-like patches over the old wastes where for half a century past the grasshopper has scarcely been able to find a subsistence; who sees from year to year how rapidly it is extending itself in every direction without the least aid from human effort or skill, and spreading itself over the whole country, can have any more doubt of the fact than he can of his own personal existence. This is one of the things we know of Japan clover certainly; and it furnishes a sufficient reason why every man in those parts where it has not yet appeared should be anxious to get a start of it on his own premises at almost any cost. The first acre he can get would be cheap to him at one hundred dollars, especially when it is considered that from that one acre he may go on to seed his own lands indefinitely without the expenditure of one additional dollar. This is no airy vision—no baseless fabric of fancy. It is, I solemnly believe, as real and substantial a truth as ever was seen floating in the future by the eye of uninspired man.

Among the things which are not known of this plant, yet tending to the same practical result, are its precise nativity and the time and manner of its introduction among ourselves. That it is a native of China or Japan seems now to be generally conceded; yet the only evidence of this is the fact that Thunberg and other botanists obtained specimens of it in those countries towards the latter part of the seventeenth century. The question, therefore, is yet an open one: Is it indigenous to the soil of those countries, or was it brought into them from some other? But that is a question for the curious, rather than one of any practical value to ourselves. The inquiry how it found its way into these Southern States is not only interesting in itself, but capable of some practical use, inasmuch as it may serve as a new and striking illustration of the vastly important results which are sometimes found to proceed from the most insignificant causes. It is furnished with no downy wings, like the thistle and some other plants, to waft it from region to region and from clime to clime. That it never could have reached us, therefore, by the winds or waves—the unaided agency of inanimate nature alone—will scarcely be denied. Nor is it likely that when it did come it came in any considerable quantity. Possibly, like the Norway oats, which are now making so much noise in the little world of the United States, a single seed of it may have found its way in a chest of tea or some other product of the Malay or Mongolian races; or it may have been brought to our shores in the crop of a pigeon or some other bird of passage. Yet from that single seed, as it may have been in either case, have proceeded enough seed in the course of eighteen or twenty years, to cover detached parts of vast areas, converting them from barren, unsightly wastes into beautiful lawns, meadows, and pasture grounds, rivaling the aspect of the Emerald Isle itself in verdure, and capable of sustaining thousands of stock in high order, where before scarcely hundreds eked out a half-starved and pitiable existence.—If by this time the plant has not reached the Mississippi, or gone even beyond it, it has at least extended from the Tombeckbee to the Cape Fear, and from the sea-coast to the mid regions of some of the Atlantic States. The fact serves to evince its wonderful powers of self propagation; so that the person who gets upon his farm a very small tract of it, however sparsely set the first year, may consider himself secure of having his whole plantation overrun with it in a very short time, and of his subsequent ability to keep ten head of cattle where he now keeps only one, and that stinted and almost valueless from want.

There is another and a very important thing we do know of this clover—viz: that it is an annual, not a perennial, plant, and, therefore, not likely to become a pest in the country, like wire grass and some others, which are proving almost the ruin of some parts of Virginia. This is no longer a matter of any uncertainty; and I have introduced it here, and dwell upon it the longer, because it is a point on which I find the minds of many correspondents in great fear and dread.

A gentleman from South Carolina, Mr. J. W. Watts, I think, writing to the Hon. Mr. Ravenel, of that State, says: "It (the Japan clover) has all the good qualities, and none of the bad ones, of Bermuda grass. While it will stand any amount of trampling by stock in the pasture, it cannot resist the plow and hoe, to which the Bermuda bids defiance."

In a letter received by me from Virginia a week or two since, a gentleman of that State says he had lately met with a friend who had just returned from a trip through parts of Georgia and South Carolina; that he had seen the clover growing luxuriantly in those States, and that it was regarded as perfectly manageable in garden and field cultivation; or words to that effect.

We have lately had a snap of very cold weather here. Before that the plants held to the ground with great tenacity; but now they come up with the least effort, and appear to be killed root and branch. Scarcely a day passes that I do not make careful examinations as to this point, for it is one on which I have felt far more anxiety than on any other. At present I feel perfectly assured upon the subject, and, therefore, entirely at ease. In fact, I satisfied myself well with regard to it last winter; otherwise, no consideration on earth would have induced me to recommend the cultivation of the plant in this already too sorely tried country, or any other.

But what may be regarded, perhaps, as proof still more strongly positive, there is on this place, *Silverdale*, the residence of Dr. J. James Mott, a turnip patch which was broken up in August, on a piece of ground almost entirely overrun with this Lespedeza. I examined the patch in September and October, with a direct view to the point in question. The clover was found on three sides of it, more or less rife. In some places it was very thick, close up to where the plow had passed along; but beyond that, on the ploughed side, and among the turnips, there was not a plant to be seen, except here and there a solitary tuft which evidently had not been covered by the plow. It does not, therefore, propagate from the roots, but from the seed alone.

T. S. W. MOTT.

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The Most Vigorous and the Most Liberal Insurance Company in the Country.

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POLICIES VALUABLE IN LIFE AS AT DEATH!

The BROOKLYN LIFE is the only Company in the country which guaranties a definite surrender-value to every policy on which two or more annual premiums have been paid; this amount, in dollars and cents, is endorsed on every policy issued. Should any policy-holder become unable to pay his premiums, he can thus know the cash worth of the policy at any time after two annual premiums have been paid.

This certainly is the greatest inducement and most tangible advantage ever accorded to parties insuring their lives.

Among the advantages offered by the BROOKLYN, which thoroughly evince the determination of the officers to make it the MOST LIBERAL Life Insurance Company in the United States are:

1st TOTAL REMOVAL OF ALL RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL AND RESIDENCE. The Assured may travel or reside anywhere they choose, the world over, without extra premium or special permit.

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The success which the "BROOKLYN" has achieved, fully exemplified in its rapid and healthful growth, is a convincing proof of the confidence reposed by the public in its soundness, integrity and liberality.

A. W. LAWRENCE, Raleigh.
GENERAL AGENT FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Dec. 5-1 dawlm

ACCUMULATED ASSETS OVER

$23,000,000!

Annual Income Over $7,500,000!

For every $100 of Liabilities, it has $154 of Assets!

POLICIES IN FORCE OVER 60,000!

AVERAGE OVER 50 PER CENT. DIVIDEND ANNUALLY!

THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Conn., which has proven to be the CHEAPEST, BEST AND MOST RELIABLE COMPANY in the country, because it has the largest income largest number of POLICY HOLDERS, largest surplus of Assets over liabilities, its Dividends to Policy-Holders have been LARGER than any other Company, and ratio of expenses LESS.

Therefore, being the CHEAPEST and BEST Company for the insured.

S. D. WAIT, General Ag't,
Dec. 5-1j1 Raleigh, N. C.

STOCK PEAS.
200 bushels
Nov. 26-tf G. T. STRONACH.

Selling Out at Cost.

HAVING DETERMINED to close my business, I shall offer my entire stock of

Rockaways, Buggies, Wagons, Harness, Whips, Material, &c.,

at cost, until the 15th.

If not disposed of by that time, they will be sold to the highest bidder.

Dec 1-2w THOS. G. JENKINS.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

ANOTHER LOT OF PRIME CHEESE!
30 Factory and N. Y. State Cheese.
Just received and for sale by
Oct. 29-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

PARAGON FAMILY FLOUR
Best in the market, for sale by
Nov 6-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

Candies.

1,000 LBS. ASSORTED STICK CANDIES, Lumps and Kisses, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

FIRE CRACKERS.
Fire Crackers for sale by the box, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

RAISINS! RAISINS!
New Layer Raisins, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

SALT! SALT! SALT!
500 Sacks more of Liverpool Salt.
Just arrived at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

LARD! LARD!
8,000 lbs. Family Lard, just arrived.
UPCHURCH & DODD.

ADAMANTINE CANDLES!
A new supply arriving at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

SOLE LEATHER.
A new supply of Hemlock Sole Leather, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

IRISH POTATOES.
A lot of Irish Potatoes, for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

COTTON YARNS AND SHEETINGS.
Holt's Son's Cotton Yarns and Sheetings,
For sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

TOILET SOAPS.
5 gross American Honey Toilet Soap,
For sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

MOLASSES.
Genuine Cuba Molasses, for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

SHOES! SHOES!
An assortment of Shoes of N. C. Manufacture, for sale by
Dec. 8-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL
OF
CHOICE GROCERIES
AT
DOUGLAS BELL'S,
CONSISTING OF

Fresh Maccaroni.
" Vermicelli.
" Desiccated Cocoanut.
" Corn Starch.
" Canned Tomatoes.
" " Peas.
" " Corn.
" " Beans.
" " Peaches.
" Pearl Barley.
" Currants.
" Raisins.
" Citron.
" Figs.
" Mixed Pickles and Pepper Sauce.
" Jellies, assorted kinds.
" Prime Factory Cheese.
" " Pine Apple Cheese.
" Olive Oils.
" Crackers.
" Sardines.
" English and French Mustard.
No. 1 Mackerel, in kits.
" Northern Irish Potatoes.
New Buckwheat.
Goshen Butter.
Mountain Butter,—fresh.
"XXX" Drips.
Golden Syrup,
&c., &c., &c.
Dec. 9-tf

POOL & UZZLE,
12 Fayetteville Street, 12
RALEIGH, N. C.
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
GROCERIES,
ALSO
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
DOMESTICS AND PRINTS.
Wines, Brandies, &c.

ALWAYS ON HAND:
No. 1 KEROSENE OIL AND LAMPS,

NOW ARRIVING.
No. 1 SYRUP AND MOLASSES,
BEEF TONGUES AND CORNED BEEF,
SMOKED BEEF, IN CANVASS AND PLAIN,
CANVASS HAMS,
BACON SIDES AND SHOULDERS.
Goods sold LOW FOR CASH.
Dec 1-3m.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SOLE LEATHER TRUNKS,
SOLE LEATHER VALISES,
LEATHER TRAVELING BAGS
The best quality and largest variety in the City, can be found at
R. B. ANDREWS & CO'S.,
GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING STORE,
Nov. 16-tf Next door to Tucker Hall.

CARPET WARP! CARPET WARP!
Cotton Warp for Carpets, ALREADY DYED and READY FOR USE.
ROPE! ROPE!! ROPE!!!
WRAPPING TWINE,
CORDAGE, &c.
Dec. 1 THOS. H. BRIGGS.

BAGGING.
10,000 yards Bagging,
G. T. STRONACH,
Dec 1-tf Com. Merchant

Sugar of all Grades—Very Cheap.
15 BBLS. Crushed, Powdered and Granulated.
25 bbls. A, B and extra C.
10 hhds. P. R. and Cuba Sugars.
For sale very cheap by
T. A. WILLIAMS & CO.,
6 Roanoke Square,
Nov. 11-tf Norfolk, Va.

NORFOLK ADVERTISEMENTS

D. G. COWAND. R. J. HARRISS.
COWAND & HARRISS,
COTTON FACTORS
AND
General Commission Merchants,
20 Commerce Street,
NORFOLK, VA
Will attend promptly to sales of Cotton, Grain, Lumber, Tobacco, Naval Stores, &c., and purchase of supplies.
Consignments solicited.
Sept. 26-4m*

A. MYERS,
(Formerly of Salisbury, N. C.,)
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
LIQUORS,
NO. 6 COMMERCIAL ROW,
FERRY WHARF,
Oct. 20-3m NORFOLK, Va

JAMES N. BELL, NORMAN BELL.
J. N. BELL & BRO.,
(SUCCESSORS TO ALEXANDER BELL,)
General Commission Merchants,
BELL'S WHARF,
NORFOLK, Va.
Consignments solicited. Prompt returns guaranteed.
REFER TO
Douglas Bell, Raleigh.
Editors Sentinel "
Oct 20-3m

WHITE, NEAL & CO.,
43 THE ALBANY, LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND,
AND
JOHN B. NEAL & CO.,
NORFOLK, VA.,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
AND
COTTON FACTORS.
REFER TO
Exchange National Bank, Norfolk, Va., and Alexander Collie & Co., London and Manchester.
Oct. 20-3m

BOOK STORES.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS!

JUST RECEIVED.
A large and splendid assortment of
PHOTOGRAPH
ALBUMS,
OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL STYLES,
Varying in price from $1 to $12.
WILLIAMS & LAMBETH,
Dec. 2 3m BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS.

PRAYER BOOKS AND BIBLES.

JUST RECEIVED.
Some of the handsomest
PRAYER BOOKS
AND
FAMILY BIBLES
Ever brought to this Market.
Call at
WILLIAMS & LAMBETH'S,
Dec 2-3m Booksellers and Stationers.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Low Prices Always Win!

GENTS FINE MOLESKIN HATS.
For $5 in currency.
Sold in old times for $5 in gold.
Dec. 3-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

ALPINE OR TOURIST HATS.
Something NEW,
At greatly reduced prices.
Dec 3-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

LARGE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES.
Gent's Double Deckers and plain Boots and Shoes.
Dec 3-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

FURS! FURS! FURS!
40 Setts of superior Coney and Siberian Squirrel Furs.
Dec 3-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

CLOAKS! CLOAKS! CLOAKS!
Third invoice of Cloaks this Fall.
Dec 3-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

GROCERIES, &c.
50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.
5 boxes Axes.
75 Sacks Liverpool Fine Salt.
10 Tierces Hams.
10 bbls. Prime Mullets.
25 kits No. 1 Boston Mackerel.
10 bbls Peach Blow Potatoes.
1000 lbs new Carolina Rice.
20 sacks Rio Coffee.
5 " Laguira do.
200 lbs Green and Black Tea—choice brands.
50 Sacks N. C. Flour.
25 bbls Brown, Refined and Crush'd Sugars.
10 kegs Glades and Goshen Butter.
20 Gross Parlor Matches.
50 Reams large and small sized Wrapping Paper.
Any or all of which can be bought on good terms.
Dec 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

SHIRTINGS.
A few bales Shirtings. Also, Undershirts, Drawers, Socks, Handkerchiefs, &c.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Dec. 2-tf Asc. and Com. Merchants.

FOR PLANTERS!
BAGGING 2¾ YD.
A lot of Calcutta Bagging—standard weight.
G. T. STRONACH,
Dec 1-tf Com. Merchant

Coffee, Coffee, Coffee.
A FRESH IMPORTATION of old Government Java, Choice Laguira, Prime and good Rio Coffee, just arrived and for sale very low by
T. A. WILLIAMS & CO.,
6 Roanoke Square,
Nov 11-tf* Norfolk, Va.

TOBACCO, CIGARS AND SNUFF.
"Cygnet," "Mary-Ann" and other brands of Chewing Tobacco.
Smoking Tobacco—all grades.
A fine lot Cigars—very cheap.
Snuff in Bladders and Papers.
Dec 3-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

NON-FORFEITING CASH RATES
OF THE
ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.

ASSETS, $10,000,000.

DIVIDEND, Fifty per Cent $7,000 Members, and constantly increasing.

$130 to pay every 100 of Liabilities.

DESCRIPTION OF POLICIES.

First.—Whole Life Policies.
Second.—Endowment Policies, for terms of ten, fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-five years.

AGES.
Insurance will be granted at all ages from fifteen to sixty years.

NOTICE.

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY has paid another loss. Read the following:

$3.000.

WILMINGTON, Sept. 16th, 1868.

Received of the Ætna Life Insurance Company, by the hands of W. H. Crow, General Agent, Three thousand dollars, in full payment of all demands upon the Life Policy of my deceased husband, Larkin F. Bunn. No. of said Policy 48,703.
With many thanks for this prompt payment in the hour of my affliction and need,
I am, respectfully,
HESTER A. BUNN.

Added to the above, may be mentioned another fact, proving the wisdom and beneficial results of Life Insurance, and also the fidelity and good faith in which this old and well tried Company deals with its members.

In less than three years this Company has done more than all others combined, to relieve the wants of the widows and orphans of North Carolina.

It has paid Policy, No.	16,779	$5,000
" "	19,818	5,000
" "	18,077	5,000
" "	21,022	3,000
" "	27,317	10,000
" "	28,650	5,000
" "	42,974	2,500
" "	35,082	10,000

Being thus bountifully tried and proved, it commends itself to the patronage of every reflecting citizen, who desires to provide a certainty for those he loves and are depending on him.

W. H. CROW,
General Agent for the State,
Office, Raleigh, N. C.
Dec 1, 1868

THE
EQUITABLE
LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,
OF
NEW YORK.

THE rapid advancement of "THE EQUITABLE," to the very front rank of American Life Insurance Companies, the unprecedented amount of its new business for the year ending September 30th, 1868, being over

FIFTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS,

the large accumulation by it of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, together with an annual income of FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, afford the very best evidences of its *popularity*, *success* and *reliability*.

A brief comparison of the Society's business for the first nine years of its organization, will best illustrate its remarkable progress.

PROGRESS OF THE SOCIETY.

Years.	No. Pol'c's Issued.	Sum Assured.	Income.	Assets.
1859				
6 mos.	277	$ 1,178,000 00	$ 23,514 00	$ 120,772 00
1860	612	1,905,500 00	77,434 00	162,618 00
1861	678	1,848,750 00	107,647 00	210,636 00
1862	1,253	2,853,400 00	176,116 00	333,238 00
1863	1,623	4,391,930 00	308,471 00	584,714 00
1864	2,272	8,758,550 00	618,491 00	1,041,977 00
1865	3,4 5	13,748,650 00	971,505 75	1,646,535 95
1866	6,246	30,654,450 00	2,060,077 00	3,077,709 00
1867	10,466	43,740,580 0	3,247,042 74	5,125,453 15
*1868	*11,000	* 51,866,814 00	*5,100,000 00	*8,000,000 00

*Year ending September 30th, 1868.

STANDING OF THE EQUITABLE SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.—In 1860, it was the ninth. In 1861, the eighth. In 1862 and 1863, the seventh. In 1864 and '65, the sixth. In 1866, the fourth. In 1867, fiscal the 2nd.

DIVIDENDS PAID ANNUALLY IN CASH.

Agents wishing to represent the Society, or persons wishing information in regard to Life Assurance, will please address special Agents,

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.,
General Agents,
W. H. FINCH, Special Agent for N. C.
T. C. HOOPER,
J. R. B HATHAWAY, } TRAVELING AGENTS. Charlotte, N. C.
J. B. MARTIN,
Sept. 18-3m*

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

DAVIS, ROPER & CO.,
WHOLESALE
Grocers & Commission Merchants,
No. 3 IRON FRONT,
Petersburg, Va.,
Keep constantly on hand a large stock of
BACON, LARD,
FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGARS,
SYRUPS, SALT, GUNNY
AND DUNDEE BAGGING,
BALE ROPE, TWINE,
CANDLES, SOAPS,
NAILS, TEAS,
ETC., ETC.
All of which they offer at the very lowest rates for cash, or Produce in hand.
They pay especial attention to the sale of COTTON, TOBACCO, WHEAT and Country Produce generally, and will make cash advances when in hand, or on Railroad bill of lading for same.
Oct. 2-6m

To the German Population of North and South Carolina.

ON OR BEFORE the first of February next, (provided 500 subscribers are obtained by that time,) the undersigned proposes to issue from the *Daily Messenger* office, a live "GERMAN" Weekly newspaper, to be called "THE GERMAN WEEKLY MESSENGER."

The "German Weekly Messenger" will contain all the latest Home and Foreign News, and is to be devoted to the advancement of Immigration to the Southern States, Home Industry, Agriculture, Rural Economy, Mechanical Arts and the Fireside.

The paper, like the "Daily Messenger," will be strictly Democratic in politics, and its aim will ever be to encourage Immigration, and to aid in the building up of the Southern States, which must be done at all hazard.

We confidently rely on the Press, and on our friends through out the Southern States, in whose interest we shall labor in the future, as in the past, to sustain us in this important enterprise. Rates of subscription $4.00 per annum.

Address JULIUS A. BONITZ,
Daily Messenger,
Goldsboro', N. C.
Nov 20-tf

Buggy and Harness.

ONE NEW BUGGY AND HARNESS, which I will sell for ($175,) one hundred and seventy-five dollars.
Dec 1, 1868 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present General Assembly, for a Charter for a Life Insurance Company, to be called "NORTH CAROLINA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY."
Nov 16-tf

JUST RECEIVED.

HEATING STOVES,
FOR COAL OR WOOD.
Cooking Stoves complete with Pipe and Furniture.
Kerosene and Illuminating Oils.
A complete assortment of Lamps and the latest and most improved Burners.
Lamps altered and repaired.
Roofing and Guttering done at short notice.
All our work is warranted and we insure success in all we sell.
Please give us a call at the old stand, on Fayetteville Street.
Oct. 6-3m* LOUGEE & BROTHER.

FINE LIQUORS.

20 Five Gallon Kegs "Old Nick's" best Rye Whiskey.
87 gals *fine year old* Southampton Brandy.
25 " Pure Holland Gin.
30 " " French Brandy.
25 " *Old and choice* Scuppernong Wine.
10 " " *Pure* Rum.
All of the above are the best, and will be sold by the keg, gallon or bottle.
Dec 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

United States Blue Book.

A REGISTER of Federal Officers and salaries for 1868-'69, including all offices, Clerkships and positions, under the Executive, Congressional, State, Treasury, War, Navy, Attorney General's, Postmaster's and other subordinate departments, with compensation attached.
Price 50cts. Sent per mail on receipt of price.
J. A. JONES, Bookseller,
Dec 1, 1868 Raleigh.

FRUIT.

Green Apples.
Dried do
Fresh Strawberries, Damsons, Pears, Cherries, &c., in cans.
Dec 3-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

Port, Madeira, Champagne and Scuppernong Wine, Bourbon, Rye and Robertson County Whiskey, French and Apple Brandy.
Dec 3-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

HARDWARE &C.

RALEIGH
SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.
All orders promptly attended to.
THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Dec 1 Proprietor.

COLLINS & HEATH,
22 LIGHT STREET, BALTIMORE, MD.
"OLD MARYLAND WORKS."

Plumbing,
Sheet Lead,
Lead Pipe,
Iron Pipe,
Terra Cotta Pipe,
Brass Cocks,
Plated Cocks,
Iron, Lead and Zinc Bath Tubs,
Tin Bath Tubs with Heaters,
Water Closets,
Iron and China Basins,
Hydrants,
Pumps,
Hose, Fountains,
Water Wheels,
Garden Vases,
Water-Coolers,
Refrigerators, &c.

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THE SENTINEL.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1868.

THE BLACK-MAIL COMMITTEE.

After a long and hard struggle, the "black mail" resolutions, as they passed the Senate, passed the House, but the objections raised to them, in both branches of the Legislature, afford the strongest proof of the guilt of *somebody*. It was finally determined that it would be best for the Radicals to let the resolutions pass, and then destroy their effect by choking off an investigation under them.

The first step in this direction was the outrageous and unheard of effort, on Saturday last, to remove Mr. Senator Sweet *from* the Committee. We venture to say that such a movement is without a precedent, and it betrays a degree of apprehension that is most significant, to say the least of it. But for the vote of the temporary Chairman of the Senate, Mr. Sweet would have been kicked off the Committee; and Mr. Winstead is entitled to all credit for his vote.

We predict, now, that the whole examination will be a ridiculous deception. It is not intended that the truth shall be elicited; rather, it is intended *not* to let it come out. The examination will be confined to the narrowest possible limits. Questions tending to elicit the truth will probably be rejected by the *voice of a majority* of the Committee, and particular caution will be observed not to allow any question tending to implicate any one, *outside* of the Legislature.

We trust that the *minority* of the Committee will put the most searching questions to every witness, and put such questions in every shape, and, if a *majority* of the Committee persist in ruling them improper, that the *minority* will report the facts of the matter and the questions propounded to the Legislature, and let the country see them and learn who refuses to *answer questions, for fear of exposure*. Yes, gentlemen of the *minority* of the Committee, pull off your gloves and roll up your sleeves, and make the *blood come*.

A system of fraud in legislation was practiced in our late State Convention and has been in the present Legislature, that has no parallel. Let the Committee ask certain persons if they have paid any money, or given away presents, to any man, for his influence over certain members of the Legislature, in the matter of voting for certain appropriations! Ask them if they *gave* any member or members of the Legislature money to influence his or their votes; if they lent members of that body any money with the *view* or the *hope* that it might influence their votes! Ascertain if members of the Legislature, with little or nothing,—*in solvent*,—did not *borrow* as much as a $1,000 and give their notes, which were *not given to be paid!* See if Mr. — gave Mr. — so much money to give to Mr. —, of the Legislature, as a *present!*

No, the Committee won't do this. It is not intended by certain "Radicals" that the truth shall be known. But whatever this Committee may do, one thing is true, that every one hereabouts, at all well informed, is fully persuaded that *bribery in the Legislature* is common. We think the Committee ought, by all means, to examine the "loll" officials!

In this connection, we copy the following from the Charlotte *Democrat*:

"We can assure the *Standard* that there is a wide spread feeling among the people of the State that corruption is being practiced by public men at Raleigh, and unless the guilty parties are exposed and expelled from office, and proper reforms inaugurated, the State debt will be repudiated as unfairly and dishonestly contracted.

We raise a warning voice, and, although it may not be heeded now, the time will come when all men will see that we are right, but too late to avoid the disastrous consequences of extravagance and corruption.

We are astonished and surprised at the efforts of the *Standard* to ridicule propositions for investigation."

P. S.—See Senate proceedings of yesterday.

THE CODE COMMISSION.

We understand that Judge Redman and Mr. V. C. Barringer are here, *at work* on the "Code." They get $200 per month, each, and for what? Why simply to cut up a *printed copy* of the *New York Code* and adapt it, *in name*, to North Carolina!—What a shame that the people should be so robbed!

We wonder that the plain, home-spun "radikils" in the Legislature can stand such barefaced imposition. Tourgee will be along, as soon as his Courts are over, and then the State will pay $800 per month, and for clerk-hire and fuel and lights, to the "Code Commission." And we will venture to assert, that "Judges" Redman and Tourgee will draw, in addition to their $200 per month as "Code Commissioners," their regular salaries as "Judges." See if they don't.

We call upon members of the Legislature to see how this is, and let the people know how their hard earnings go. The "Code Commission" is a nuisance and ought to be abolished forthwith. But the Radical majority in the House refused even to *entertain* the resolution of enquiry, introduced by Mr. Malone, as to the *power* of the Legislature to discontinue it! So we go.

Brigadier General N. G. Evans died very suddenly, Monday morning, at Midway, Bullock county, Alabama, where he was engaged in teaching. He was a native of South Carolina, a graduate of West Point, and Commander of the Confederate troops at the battle of Leesburg.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT.

We have before us a copy of the Report of the hopeful youth, who writes himself Attorney General of North Carolina, to the Governor, and, by the latter, submitted to the Legislature. We were not aware that it was incumbent on this official to make a report, at all; certainly, such a thing is unusual,—but the fact can be easily accounted for, on the ground that the Governor required the young man to explain and shoulder the vagaries which have caused "his Excellency" so much trouble and involved him in such absurd dilemmas.

We had occasion, some days since, to notice the report of the Superintendent of Public Works. That document covered about the same space as the report of the Attorney General, viz: about three pages of printed matter. This fact constitutes the best commentary upon the amount of labor which these officials have been called upon to perform, and the inadequacy of their duties to the pay which they pocket out of the people's money. Neither, officially, earns the salt in his bread, and unless the Legislature, in its charity, should prescribe something for them both to do, that idleness of brain, which is said to be the devil's work shop, superadded to the painful consciousness of taking money without giving a *quid pro quo*, will be the unhappy fortune of these (now) supernumeraries.

The Attorney General states that his "first official opinion was given at the requirement of the Governor, and concerning his authority, under the Constitution of the State, to remove and appoint municipal officers." Ah! we remember that "first" opinion well, and it should have been the *last*, for it was so manifestly ridiculous and disgracefully partisan as to have stamped the author as professionally incompetent for, and otherwise unworthy of, his position.—It brought forth a counter-opinion from such *lawyers* as Moore, Merrimon and Haywood, which satisfied the military and the public, made the Governor internally curse Coleman for placing him in so awkward a predicament, and even convinced the Radical Assembly that legislation was necessary to accomplish the result which the young Mansfield proposed to reach by an official dictum, unsupported by any *attempt* at exposition.

Again: "The Attorney General has been assigned to assist in the prosecution of two capital felonies at the last term of Wake County Superior Court." The public will please pardon the unnecessary vanity implied in the announcement, for they were probably the Attorney General's first opportunities of appearing at the bar, in cases of such grave moment,—and we all know that a young barrister's "first appearance" is generally marked with a white stone on his calendar. Otherwise, it is difficult to explain why the statement should find place in an official report. The Solicitor for the District is amply able to take care of all such cases, and we submit that it is not worth while for the Attorney General to tell the Governor that Judge Watts complimented him by assigning him to assist the Solicitor. Perhaps, however, the Attorney General thought that the endorsement of so brilliant a judicial luminary as Judge Watts would tone down the Governor's depreciatory estimate of his legal capacity, as derived from the "Municipal opinion."

Again: The Attorney General recites his performances in the Everitt case, and says that, "at the request of Mr. Everitt, proceedings in the matter were stayed,—he alleging that he could not get justice." Why couldn't Mr. Coleman tell the whole truth, and inform the Legislature, (the Governor already knew it,) that Everitt *absconded*, pending proceedings, for fear that the villainous falsehood which he trumped up on worthy citizens of Halifax, for purposes of personal malignity and party capital,—a falsehood to which the Governor lent a credulous ear,—might be exposed?

Finally, the Attorney General refers to his "opinion" as to the manner of depositing ballots for electors and for candidates for office in the late election,—an opinion, also, which arrayed him, *if* he was really the author of it, against such eminent lawyers as Bragg, Fowle, and Phillips, in addition to the three already referred to above, and which was grossly unwarranted, manifestly contrary to law, and concocted in the interests of party. We say *if* he was the author,—for it is well known that he was *absent* from Raleigh at the time of its promulgation by the Governor, and it is believed, therefore, to have been the *Governor's* "opinion!"

This is about all the Attorney General has done, and yet he has received, therefor, about $1,000, we suppose. The amount of labor done, in proportion to the perquisites pocketed, reminds us of the items of Falstaff's bill, and the comment of Prince Hal:

"An intolerable deal of *sack* to a penny-worth of bread!"

A REGULAR FENIAN "BUST."—The following rich specimen of photography is taken from the Governor's paper. It is said that style has its ear-marks, as well as cattle. This is obviously the work of Bro. Pepper:

"In the House there is French, of Wilmington, with his burly figure, genial smile and pleasant manners! Spectacled Seymour, of Craven, with a modest air and useful talent! Estes, a graceful figure and airy step, with a keen eye looking after the business interests of the State! Durham, sly and full of inveterate subtilty! Laflin, with a face purpled over with claret, a splendid mind, a stooping form dressed *a la* Byron, and an eye among the best and most beaming that ever was set in the head of man; Holden with his good humor and smile, a superb presiding officer, the complete model of a progressive North Carolinian! Sinclair, full of lore, and fears no one, was for a time in a state of oscillation, but is now in full communion! Downing, with a thoughtful brow, seems as if it was charged with the secrets of the country! Pou, clerical in appearance, with a countenance of fair manliness and charity. Hereafter we will return to this subject."

We know not which of the subjects may feel himself the most complimented by the portraiture: Laflin, for the *spirited* sketch,—French for the corporeal, Sinclair for the pendulous, or Estes for the *debonnaire*. If old Mr. Downing is "charged" with any "secrets," we beg that he will let them out. To be suspected of knowing such things, in these days of investigation, is hazardous.

Legislature of North Carolina.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, Dec. 8, 1868.

The Senate was called to order at 11 o'clock.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Moore, of Carteret, from the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably on the following bills, which were placed on the Calendar, viz:

Bill to incorporate Barnsville Lodge;
Bill to incorporate Ureka Lodge;
Bill to incorporate Beaver Dam Lodge, A. Y. M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Osborne: A bill to incorporate the Hebrew Benevolent Association, in the City of Charlotte. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Shoffner: A bill for the relief of Jas. Tapscott, late Sheriff of Alamance County. Placed on Calendar.

By Mr. Shoffner: A bill in relation to employing Attorneys in civil and criminal actions. Referred to the Judiciary.

By Mr. Moore, of Carteret: A bill to preserve the public health, by establishing a quarantine in Beaufort Harbor. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Stephens: A bill to amend an ordinance of 1866, relating to hotels. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Forkner: A bill to repeal an ordinance to amend an ordinance to incorporate the North Western North Carolina Rail Road Company. Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

By Mr. Moore, of Yancey: A bill to incorporate the town of Marion, in the county of McDowell. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Mason: A bill to incorporate the Woodlawn Manufacturing Company in the county of Gaston. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Smith: A substitute for the bill to amend the Charter of the Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

By Mr. Osborne: A bill to consolidate the Charlotte and South Carolina and the Columbia and Augusta Railroad Companies. Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

By Mr. Jones, of Wake: A bill to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, in reference to fees. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

CALENDAR.

Bill proving for the appointment of entry takers postponed until to morrow.

Bill for the relief of J. T. White passed its third reading.

A bill amendatory of an act to incorporate the Western North Carolina Railroad Company and acts amendatory thereof: On motion of Mr. Respass, the third section was stricken out, and the bill passed its second reading.

Bill to consolidate the Atlantic and North Carolina and the North Carolina Railroad Companies passed its second reading.

Bill to amend the Charter of the Western Railroad Company passed its second reading.

Bill to amend the Charter of the Williamston and Tarboro Railroad Company passed its second reading.

Bill to divide and separate the Eastern and Western divisions of the North Carolina Rail Road, passed second reading.

Bill to re-enact and confirm certain acts in reference to the issue of State bonds to certain Rail Road Companies. Passed second reading.

Bill authorizing the sale of the State's interest in Rail Road, Turnpike and Navigation Companies, was rejected on its second reading, by the following vote—31 nays to 6 ayes.

Bill to amend the Charter of the Oxford Branch of the Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road Company was amended, and passed its second reading.

Mr. Cook, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, presented sundry resolutions which were properly enrolled, and the President signified his intention to ratify them.

Among the number was the resolution in relation to Bribery and Black-Mail.

Mr. Hayes arose to a question of privilege and said: Mr. President: I arise to submit it to you whether you should sign the resolutions in relation to bribery and corruption, because the question has already been raised, and there seems to be a doubt in the minds of some. The Constitution makes it your duty to sign all bills and resolutions of a legislative nature, passed in accordance with its provisions. No Senator dare question your right to sign a bill or resolution of a legislative nature, which has passed its three readings, in accordance with the Constitution; but the resolution in question passed this branch of the General Assembly with one reading only. The question naturally arises whether, within the meaning of the Constitution, it is a resolution of a legislative nature. If it is, I submit that the action of the Senate has been informal, and that you, knowing it to be so, ought not to sign the resolution. I say this as one sworn to support that instrument. I could not say less. I would not say more. Sec. 25, art. 2, of the Constitution, reads as follows:

"All bills and resolutions of a legislative nature shall be read three times in each House, before they pass into laws."

The words "prepare bills to be passed into laws," in section 24, same article, are fully explained in section 25, upon this point, where the Constitution requires bills to be read three times in each House, before they pass, and also resolutions of a legislative nature. Is this a resolution of a legislative nature? Certainly the Legislature, in passing this resolution, has exercised one of the highest powers entrusted to its care—a power possessed by no other department of government and one fraught with good or evil. I refer to the power vested in the Legislature, under the Constitution, to define crimes and their degree of punishment.—This stamps the resolution as being of a legislative nature, and brings us back to the argument, whether, under the Constitution, you should sign the resolution.—Besides, sir, it is contended that any person in North Carolina can be summoned before this Committee. I know of no other Committee of this Legislature, to which the same powers have been granted. A resolution so nearly affecting every man in North Carolina, dealing not alone with filthy lucre, but with the priceless gem of character, was certainly entitled to the mature consideration of the grave Senators of North Carolina, before it was passed into a law. Ordinary decency would have dictated this course, but rashness and impetuosity are frequently blind to means, in their haste to secure the object; and, sir, it is well for us to pause now, ere we launch these resolutions upon the public seas, and inquire whether our action has been such as that contemplated by the Constitution, and whether you, knowing the omissions, are bound to sign these resolutions.

Sir, whether they are signed or not, I stand here, to day, willing to abide by your decision, or that of this honorable Senate. Pending such decision, I will submit the further question to you, whether the resolutions, having passed the Senate, in violation of the express provisions of the Constitution, having been transmitted to the House, having passed that body in accordance with the Constitution, and signed by the Speaker thereof, they have passed beyond the control of the Senate; and if you decide that you cannot sign them because they are unconstitutional, *de facto*, they are dead. Sir, this is no factious opposition. I claim to be possessed of as high moral sentiments and character as any Senator on this floor. I know that what I say may renew and prolong a discussion already painful to the public mind. But the law-abiding people of North Carolina, when the moment of excitement is over, will not excuse me, or any of us, if, in this seeming attempt to vindicate their rights, we violate our own oaths. Let the paths of truth and justice—the broad ways of liberty and law laid down in the Constitution of this State and approved by 20,000 majority of her people—be ever preserved with unfaltering step and unflinching courage, and though, in so doing, we may meet with scoffers and revilers, or with Thersites clamoring in the camp, yet, in the end, the applause of a satisfied people will be our richest reward.

Mr. Sweet arose to reply.

A. H. Galloway, colored, objected.

On motion of Mr. Shoffner, Mr. Sweet was allowed to proceed,—A. H. Galloway, colored, alone, voting in the negative.

Mr. Hayes said he would like to ask the President, before the Senator began his remarks, if he would sign the resolutions, without submitting them again to the vote of the Senate.

The President declined to answer the question.

Mr. Sweet arose and said: Mr. President, although I have survived nearly one half the allotted years of man, yet there never was a time in my life when the exercise of the Christian virtue of forbearance demanded so much effort from me as within the last few days. The strange spectacle is presented to the Senate, on this occasion, of one Senator, as youthful and inexperienced as myself, reading to our presiding officer a carefully prepared interpretation of his duties, and doing so, too, with all the gravity of a *Roman* Senator! I cannot withhold an expression of my admiration of our presiding officer for declining to reply to the Senator from Robeson, as to whether he intended to ratify these resolutions.

The President of this body is sworn to discharge his duty as he understands it, and not as the Senator from Robeson understands it.

If ever, in a moment of forgetfulness or imprudence, I should presume to trespass upon the right of the President to interpret for himself his duty, I trust he will administer to me such a rebuke as I would well deserve.

Now as to the merit of the objection made by the Senator to the ratification of these resolutions. There is only one way in which any expression of opinion by a Legislative body—whether it be by resolution or by a formal act—can be authenticated, and that is by the signature of the presiding officers of the two Houses. The provision in our Constitution, requiring all bills and resolutions of a legislative nature to be read three times in each House, before they pass into laws, and that they shall be signed by the presiding officers of both Houses, is surplusage, so far as relates to the signatures of the presiding officers, for such signatures are required by the law of common sense. If these resolutions are of a legislative nature, it is because they seek to enlarge the legal definition of perjury, and if such enlargement is defeated by the failure to read these resolutions three times in the Senate, any one can avail himself of this defect in a trial upon an indictment for perjury under these resolutions. The resolutions, so far as they authorize an investigation, confer just as ample power upon the Committee, as if they had passed three readings.

I submit, Mr. President, my sincere belief that the purpose of this last demonstration of antagonism to these resolutions is the same as the preceding manifestations of hostility, to wit: *procrastination*.—It may be possible to defeat me here, but, if you do so, there is another forum to which I shall go and another jury to whom the evidence shall be submitted, and that jury is composed of all who live within the broad limits of North Carolina. Gentlemen oppose these resolutions on the ground of unconstitutionality; they say the Constitution requires that they should have been read three times in the Senate. I will make this proposition to them: If they will promise that if these resolutions are to be read the second and third times in the Senate, they will *vote for them* and offer no opposition to their passage, I will consent to their being read again; but it matters not whether they are read or not, the investigation will go on,—the probe shall go down into the depths of the wounds and they shall be shown up to honest men everywhere, in all their deformity.

The President stated that he had listened with pleasure to Senators on both sides of the question. The resolutions had passed the House and had been signed by the Speaker of that body, and he signified his intention to ratify them; which he did.

On motion, the Senate adjourned until to-morrow, at 11 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, Dec. 8, 1868.

The House was called to order at 11 o'clock.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Long, of Chatham, of the House.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hornëy, from the Committee on Public Buildings, reported favorably upon the resolution to authorize the Superintendent of the Insane Asylum to insure the buildings of that Institution.

RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hodnett offered the following:

WHEREAS, The high tax of 32 cents per pound on tobacco operates to the serious injury of a large number of the people of this State; Therefore,

Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, That our Senators and Representatives, in the Congress of the United States, be respectfully requested to use their endeavors to have the said tax reduced to *ten* cents on the pound.

Resolved further, That the Speaker of this House transmit a copy of these resolutions to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Mr. Hodnett moved to suspend the rules, in order to adopt at once. Carried.

J. H. Harris, of Wake, colored, favored the resolution.

Mr. Hodnett next took the floor and urged the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Barnett said the reasons given by the delegates from Caswell, Wake and Granville, I fully appreciate, and endorse every word spoken by each of them. It has been correctly stated by the gentleman from Caswell, that, in consequence of this high tax on tobacco, planters are unable to employ laborers. We have no assurance, that, by the adoption of this resolution, the tax will be reduced, but, certainly, no harm can come of it; we can only make the experiment.

The resolution was then adopted.

Mr. Sinclair moved to reconsider the vote, by which Mr. Malone's resolution, in reference to the Code Commission, was indefinitely postponed, on yesterday.

Mr. Malone took the floor and explained the reasons that induced him to offer the resolution, and said:

Members of this House may have misunderstood the purport of the resolution on yesterday. I hope the House will not consider this as a disposition to undo all that the Code Commission has done, or may properly do, to meet the necessary demands of the country, incident to the changes in the Constitution.

It is admitted to be necessary and proper to have a new Code of practice and procedure to some extent. But when the necessity has ceased to exist, the body should know if it has the power to discontinue this Commission, when this purpose shall have been attained. With this understanding of the resolution, I feel confident that the same will be allowed to pass.

After quite a lengthy debate, the question on reconsideration was put and carried.

Mr. Sinclair moved to refer to the Committee on the Judiciary, for their *opinion only*. He made this motion as an amendment.

Mr. Argo said he understood this to be the object of the original resolution,—the object being to suspend, not abolish, the Code Commission.

Mr. Stilley moved to strike out the whole preamble, to which Mr. Malone objected.

The motion to strike out was put and carried, and the resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

SPECIAL ORDER, VIZ:

The bill to incorporate the North Carolina Dental Association, [introduced by Mr. French, of New Hanover:]

On motion of Mr. Stilley, the bill was read, section by section.

After a lengthy debate and various amendments,

Mr. Ellis moved to lay the whole bill on the table. A call was made for the yeas and nays, and the call, being sustained, resulted, yeas 58, nays 22.

BILLS, &c.

By J. H. Harris, of Wake, (colored): A bill for the better protection of debtors; which was ordered to be printed and referred to the Judiciary Committee, with instructions to report day after to morrow.

By Mr. Wilkie: A bill to extend the authority of Sheriffs and other officers, in cases of arrest. Referred.

By Mr. Ingram: A bill to renew the Charter of the Richmond Manufacturing Company. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Senate bill, No. 2, authorizing the taxes for 1868 in Carteret County to be collected, was taken up, and,

On motion of Mr. Davis, the rules were suspended, and the bill passed its several readings.

By Mr. Clayton, of Transylvania: A bill to repeal paragraph 40, chapter 3, title 21, Code of Civil Procedure, and to amend an act in relation to marriage licenses, ratified July 29th, 1868. Referred.

Mr. Clayton, of Transylvania, was granted a short leave of absence.

Mr. Justice, of Rutherford, moved to take up his resolution to provide for an organization of militia.

On motion of Mr. Estes, it was now referred to the Committee on Militia.

CALENDAR.

Mr. Ingram's resolution, in favor of the County Commissioners of Anson, was taken up.

After some debate, Mr. I. withdrew, by consent, the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Dixon, the House then adjourned.

UNDERWOOD BEGS LEAVE TO DIFFER WITH THE CHIEF JUSTICE.—The dissent of the district Judge from the opinion of the Chief Justice, in the case of Jefferson Davis, reminds us of what once occurred in a young men's debating society.

The question before the society was a "constitutional" one, and one of the disputants quoted Webster as an authority, by way of strengthening his position.

"Who is that, sir?" said his opponent.

"Daniel Webster," replied the other.

"Well sir," rejoined his opponent, "I beg leave to differ with Mr. Webster."

So, likewise, Underwood begs leave to differ with Chief Justice Chase.—*Petersburg Express.*

And *that* reminds us that, some years ago, "Judge" Cantwell delivered a philological essay before a neighborhood school, in the upper part of Wake county, in which he quoted the grand peroration of Daniel Webster's celebrated speech in reply to Hayne, in the United States Senate, in order to show that it was faulty in construction and susceptible of improvement! If we are not mistaken, the "Judge" proceeded to show wherein it might have been bettered.

HOMICIDE.—Elijah James, a colored Baptist preacher, was killed in James City, near Newbern, on Sunday, by a negro named Mingo Jones, under circumstances of peculiar atrocity. The *Journal of Commerce* furnishes the particulars, as follows:

"Mingo Jones had rented a piece of land on which were some old pine stumps adapted for kindling purposes. The wife of Elijah James desiring fuel of that character, went into Jones' field and began to cut up one of the old stumps. Jones, seeing her thus employed, approached the woman and, after a few words, administered a castigation. James hearing of the treatment his wife had undergone, and naturally indignant, caught up an axe and started after the chastiser. On approaching him, he was ordered to throw down his axe, under penalty of being killed. He immediately complied, when Jones deliberately raised a gun, which he had in his hand, and shot James in the bowels, inflicting a mortal wound. He shortly after expired.

The Coroner's Jury brought in a verdict in accordance with these facts, and Jones was arrested and incarcerated in Craven Street Jail. It would have saved much useless expense, if he had been lynched on the spot.

James is said to have been a quiet, well-behaved man, and a regularly ordained Minister of the Gospel."

Sentence of death was once passed upon a notorious villain by a popular judge, who desired to maintain and extend his popularity. He said, "Mr. Green, you have just been found guilty. Will you have the kindness to stand up, Mr. Green? I really would not trouble you, Mr. Green, but such is the established custom of the court. As I was saying, Mr. Green, you have just been found guilty by the jury, Mr. Green, of—of—I believe you called it murder, Mr. Foreman of the jury; yes—murder. You will please take notice, Mr. Green, that it is the jury who find you guilty, not I, Mr. Green. I express no opinion on the subject, but I am compelled by the law—it's a mere formality, so far as I am concerned, Mr. Green—to sentence you to be hung by the neck till you are dead—dead. At what time would it be agreeable to you to be hung, Mr. Green?"

Strangers who visit New York must take care not to carry bundles after midnight in the streets, as the police have orders to arrest all persons who have such—carpet baggers included.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, 1st inst., in Newark, N. J. at the residence of Col. Morgan L. Smith, of Texas, by Rev. J. Barnwell Campbell, of S. C., J. M. TATE, of North Carolina, and MARY, daughter of the late Robert Love, of North Carolina.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

"TIP TOP," "TIP TOP"

GOLD PENS.

Another lot of those superior PENS just received.

WATCHES,
CLOCKS
AND
JEWELRY,

FOR SALE LOW.

Also, especial attention given to REPAIRING Watches, Clocks, &c., at HOME, Watchmaker and Jeweler, Fayetteville, St. (Sign of "RED FRONT.")

Dec. 9-tf

FOR SALE.

Very old Peach Brandy.

Dec. 9, 1868 W. H. JONES & CO.

FOR SALE.

Superior N. C. Scuppernong Wine, old and very good.

Dec. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present Legislature to amend the Charter of the Town of HENDERSON, Granville Co.

Dec. 9-w4w

NOTICE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, RALEIGH, Dec. 8, 1868.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Books will be opened at the Mayor's Office, on the 14th inst., and remain open until the 25th inst., for the purpose of registering the names of persons entitled to vote for Mayor and Commissioners, at an election to be held on the first Monday (the 4th day) of January, 1869.

WM. H. HARRISON, Mayor.

J. J. CHRISTOPHERS, Clerk.

Dec. 9-td

PROPOSALS FOR BEEF.

OFFICE A. C. S., RALEIGH, N. C., December 5th 1868.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, are invited until 12 o'clock M., Friday Dec. 25, 1868, for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with such quantities of Fresh Beef as may be required by that Department, for any purpose at Raleigh, N. C., from January 1st, 1869, till June 30th, 1869. The Beef must be of good and marketable quality, subject to rigid inspection, (necks, shanks and kidney tallow to be excluded,) and if not satisfactory, purchases will be made in open market and the contractor charged with the difference of price.

Good and sufficient security will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract, and the names of the proposed securities must accompany each bid.

Payment will be made in Government funds at the end of each month.

Bids will be directed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Beef."

EDW. J. STIVERS, 1st Lieut. 45th Infantry.

Dec. 9-6t A. C. S.

Sale of Valuable Land.

ON SATURDAY, the 19th day of this month, in my own right and as the Agent of the other parties entitled, I shall expose to public sale, at the Neuse River Mills, six miles from Raleigh, the Tract of Land lying on said River and above the Peach Tree Branch, commencing at the mouth of said branch and lying North of the same, which said land was owned and occupied by the late Elizabeth Hinton, during her life time, and now belonging to the heirs of Samuel S. Hinton.

The land to be sold at so much per acre, and a survey of the same to be made. One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in one and two years with interest. The purchase money secured by bond and good security, and the title to the land reserved or a Deed in Trust on the same if title is made. A bid reserved by the sellers.

Dec. 8-codtd HENRY C. HINTON.

NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS!

L. D. WOMBLE,

OPPOSITE MARKET SQUARE, (WEST SIDE.)

I HAVE IN STORE, AND INTEND TO KEEP, a well selected stock of

GROCERIES.

Best Sugar cured Bacon Hams, Sides and Choice Leaf Lard Rio, Laguira and GENUINE JAVA COFFEE, Green and Black Tea. Good assortment of Sugars, from 12½ to 20c. per lb. No 1 CAROLINA RICE, Molasses and Bright Syrup Fresh Butter and Soda Crackers, and a superior LEMON CRACKER. PURE APPLE VINEGAR No. 1 Chewing Tobacco and Egerton's Scotch Snuff.

Best quality Sole Leather and a fine lot of

FRENCH CALF SKINS, LINING SKINS, (assorted colors.)

I will also keep the well known 1 one-horse PLOW, called "KING OF THE SOUTH." It has the reputation, from many of our best Farmers, of being the best one-horse Plow in use.

Give me a call. I am ALWAYS AT HOME.

Will also have, in a day or two, a lot of the finest CHEESE that has been brought to this market.

Nov. 12-1m

Wm. B. Utley & Geo. W. Dougherty.

BANKERS AND BROKERS,

No. 11 WALL STREET,

Next door to Wall St. entrance to Stock Exchange,

NEW YORK.

We respectfully solicit your orders for

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES,
STOCKS AND GOLD,
Southern Securities and Bank Notes,
AND
MISCELLANEOUS SECURITIES NOT CALLED AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

We are represented at the Regular, Open Gold, and Government Boards, and all orders by mail or telegraph receive our *personal attention*.

Consignments of Government Bonds, Gold, Silver, Sovereigns, Bank of England Notes, Doubloons, Napoleons, &c. &c., bought and sold at best market rates, and proceeds deposited as directed.

We tender our services to Bankers and Banks as *prompt and reliable* correspondents.

☞ Changes of the Market given by telegraph when desired.

Nov 28-3m

ANDREWS,

THE CLOTHIER,

ONE DOOR SOUTH OF TUCKER HALL,

Is the recognized leader of the

Retail Clothing Trade in Raleigh.

Strangers in the City will find it to their advantage to call in and get a

WINTER OUTFIT.

THE REASONS WHY:—Here is the LARGEST ASSORTMENT in Raleigh,

Here is the STYLE;

Here the "ONE PRICE" system is strictly adhered to;

Here are the LOWEST PRICES in the City;

He sells for CASH; therefore, High prices are not essential to success. The man who pays his money at this House contributes nothing towards paying bad debts made by others who "never mind the price."

Great pains taken in fitting the customer, and polite attention shown under all circumstances.

Dec 7-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

To the People of the Southern States.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3, 1868.

When the pure medicinal restorative, now so widely known as Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps, was introduced into the world under the endorsement of four thousand leading members of the medical profession some 20 years ago, its proprietor was well aware that it could not wholly escape the penalty attached to all new and useful preparations. He, therefore, endeavored to invest it with strongest possible safeguard against counterfeiters, and to render all attempts to imitate it difficult and dangerous. It was submitted to distinguished chemists for analysis, and pronounced by them the purest spirit ever manufactured. Its purity and properties having been thus ascertained, samples of the article were forwarded to ten thousand physicians, including all the leading practitioners in the United States, for purposes of experiment. A circular, requesting a trial of the preparation and a report of the result, accompanied each specimen. Four thousand of the most eminent medical men in the Union promptly responded. Their opinions of the article were unanimously favorable. Such a preparation, they said, had long been wanted by the profession as no reliance could be placed on the ordinary liquors of commerce, all of which were more or less adulterated, and therefore unfit for medical purposes. The peculiar excellence and strength of the oil of juniper, which formed one of the principal ingredients of the Schnapps, together with an unalloyed character of the alcoholic element, give it, in the estimation of the faculty, a marked superiority over every other diffusive stimulant as a diuretic, tonic and restorative.

These satisfactory credentials from professional men of the highest rank were published in a condensed form, and enclosed with each bottle of the Schnapps, as one of the guarantees of its genuineness. Other precautions against fraud were also adopted; a patent was obtained for the article, the label was copyrighted, a *fac simile* of the proprietor's autograph signature was attached to each label and cover, his name and that of the preparation were embossed on the bottles, and the corks were sealed with his private seal. No article had ever been sold in this country under the name of Schnapps prior to the introduction of Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps, in 1851; and the label was deposited, as his trade mark, in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York during that year.

It might be supposed by persons unacquainted with the daring character of the pirates who prey upon the reputation of honorable merchants by vending deleterious trash under their name, that the protections so carefully thrown around these Schnapps would have precluded the introductions and sale of counterfeits. They seem, however only to have stimulated the rapacity of impostors. The trade mark of the proprietor has been stolen; the endorsement which his Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps alone received from the medical profession has been claimed by unscrupulous humbugs; his labels and bottles have been imitated, his advertisements paraphrased, his circulars copied, and worse than all, dishonorable retailers, after disposing of the genuine contents of his bottles, have filled them up with common gin, the most deleterious of all liquors, and thus made his name and brand a cover for fraud.

The public, the medical profession and the sick, for whom the Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps is prescribed as a remedy, are equally interested with the proprietor in the detection and suppression of these nefarious practices. The genuine article, manufactured at the establishment of the undersigned in Schiedam, Holland, is distilled from a barley of the finest quality, and flavored with an essential extract of the berry of the Italian juniper, of unequaled purity. By a process unknown to the preparation of any other liquor, it is freed from every acrimonious and corrosive element.

Composites have been received from the leading physicians and families in the Southern States of the sale of cheap imitations of the Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps in those markets; and travellers, who are in the habit of using it as an antidote to the baneful influence of unwholesome river water, testify that cheap gin, put up in Schiedam bottles, is frequently palmed off upon the unwary. The agents of the undersigned have been requested to institute inquiries on the subject, and to forward to him the names of such parties as they may ascertain to be engaged in the atrocious system of deception. In consequence, the undersigned would say that he has produced, from under the hands of the most distinguished men of science in America, proofs unanswerable of the purity and medicinal excellence of the Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps; that he has expended many thousand dollars in surrounding it with guarantees and safeguards, which he designed should protect the public and himself against fraudulent imitations; that he has shown it to be the only liquor in the world that can be uniformly depended upon as unadulterated; that he has challenged investigation, analysis, comparison, and experiment in all its forms; and from every ordeal the preparation which bears his name, seal and trademark, has come off triumphant. He therefore feels it a duty he owes to his fellow-citizens generally, to the medical profession and the sick, to denounce and to expose the charlatans who counterfeit these evidences of identity and he calls upon the press and the public to aid him in his efforts to remedy so great an evil.

The following letters and certificates from the leading physicians and chemists of this city will prove to the reader that all goods sold by the undersigned are all they are represented to be.

UDOLPHO WOLFE.

I feel bound to say, that I regard your Schnapps as being in every respect pre-eminently pure, and deserving of medical patronage. As all crude, it is the purest possible article of Holland Gin, heretofore unobtainable, and, as such, may be safely prescribed by physicians.

DAVID L. MOTT, M. D., Pharmaceutical Chemist, New York.

26 PINE STREET, NEW YORK, Nov 21, 1867.

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Esq., *Present:*

DEAR SIR:—I have made a chemical examination of a sample of your Schiedam Schnapps, with the intent of determining if any foreign or injurious substance had been added to the sample distilled spirits.

The examination has resulted in the conclusion that the sample contained no poisonous or harmful admixture. I have been unable to discover any trace of the deleterious substances which are employed in the adulteration of liquors. I would not hesitate to use myself or to recommend to others, for medical purposes, the Schiedam Schnapps as an excellent and unobjectionable variety of Gin.

Very respectfully yours,
(Signed,) CHAS. A. SEELY, Chemist.

NEW YORK 53 CEDAR STREET, November 28, 1867.

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Esq., *Present:*

DEAR SIR:—I have submitted to chemical analysis two bottles of "Schiedam Schnapps," which I took from a fresh package in your bonded warehouse, and find, as before, that the spirituous liquor is free from injurious ingredients or falsification: that it has the marks of being aged and not recently prepared by mechanical admixture of alcohol and aromatics.

Respectfully,
FRED. F. MAYER, Chemist.

NEW YORK, Tuesday, May 1.

UDOLPHO WOLFE, ESQ:—

DEAR SIR:—The want of pure Wines and Liquors for medical purposes has been long felt by the profession, and thousands of lives have been sacrificed to the use of adulterated articles. Delirium tremens, and other diseases of the brain and nerves, so rife in this country, are very rare in Europe, owing, in a great degree, to the difference in the purity of the spirits sold.

We have tested the several articles imported and sold by you, including your Gin, which you sell under the name of Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, which we consider justly entitled to the high reputation it has acquired in this country; and from your long experience as a foreign importer, your Bottled Wines and Liquors should meet with the same demand.

We would recommend you to appoint some of the respectable apothecaries in different

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Advertisements will be inserted in the *Daily Sentinel* at the following rates. A square will hereafter estimated at 13 minion lines, or 1¼ inches.

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Court advertisements inserted 6 weeks for $1 cash or $10 if charged.

THE SENTINEL.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1868.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Notice of application for amendment of the Charter of the town of Henderson.

Old Peach Brandy and Scuppernong Wine: W. H. Jones & Co.

Notice of Registration: Wm. H. Harrison, Mayor.

Proposals for Beef invited: Edw. J. Stivers, 1st. Lieut., 40th Infantry, A. C. S., Raleigh.

Gold Pens, Watches and Jewelry, &c: Fayetteville St., sign of the "Red Front."

FRIENDS OF TEMPERANCE.—The State Council of this Order will meet this evening, at 7 o'clock, at the Hall of Oak City Council. Further programme to-morrow.

MUNICIPAL.—It will be seen, by the announcement of the Mayor, in another column, that the books of registration, with a view to the approaching Municipal election, will be opened in a few days. Every citizen must register, in order to vote. Let no one neglect this duty, as he values economy, efficiency and respectability in our City government. We shall refer to the subject again.

PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS.—Moss, (sign of the "Red Front," Fayetteville Street,) is preparing to welcome the Christmas Holydays, and to make glad the hearts of his numerous friends, big and little, by receiving, in time, his supply of articles suitable for gifts. He will tell the public "all about it" from time to time. Meanwhile, give him a call. He announces, to day, a lot of superior gold pens, and, also, watches, clocks, jewelry, &c.

RINGLETS.—The solitary ringlet which our ladies now sport resembles a steamer flaunting in the breeze, and some of them look most provokingly sweet. They also look a little lonely, but behave with gallantry. There is no truth in the report that they are a notification on the part of those who wear them that they—the girls, not the ringlets—are not engaged.

THE Holidays are approaching, the season of the year when, by a general custom, presents are exchanged, when festivities are the rule, and all classes give themselves up to enjoyment. At this season, more than at any other, the advertising columns of the newspapers are consulted to ascertain where the best and cheapest articles for use or ornament can be obtained, and he is wisest who first avails himself of the means of bringing his wares to the attention of the public. The *Sentinel* offers unexcelled advantages to advertisers, and, as we shall prepare special holiday notices of the best places to purchase, dealers generally will find it to their advantage to send in their advertisements, at once.

A WEDDING EXTRAORDINARY.—A correspondent sends us the following:

The officer of the Freedmen's Bureau at Greensboro', the other day, ordered a negro couple, who had been brought before him, to be taken before a Squire and married, for obvious reasons. The Justice, after explaining the duties and obligations, requested them to join hands.

Bride—"I isn't gwine to do it; I doesn't want to hab nuffin to do wid dat nigger."

Groom—"I isn't ticular 'bout marryin wid de gal; I nebber lubbed dat nigger."

This protest opened the Squire's eyes like "two full moons in the harvest." He asked what was the meaning of it. Just then, a representative of the Bureau stepped in and informed the Justice that they were ordered by the Bureau officer to be married, and that he had come to see the sentence executed. With this understanding, the Justice told the "happy couple" to join hands, which they did, after much persuasion, and the following scene occurred:

Justice—"Do you take this man to be your wedded husband, to love, honor, obey, etc."

Bride—"No I doesn't; not much I doesn't; I wouldn't hab a four acre lot of such trash."

Freedmen's Bureau—"Yes, we do, Squire. We take him; go on with the ceremony."

Justice—"And do you take this woman to be your wedded wife, to love, cherish, etc."

Groom—"I told you dat I wasn't ticular; I isn't hankering arter de crow. I can lib without de gal."

Freedmen's Bureau—"Certainly, we take her—of course we do; suits us to allspice. Hurry up the cakes."

Justice—"Then I pronounce you man and wife, and may the Lord have mercy on your souls!"

THE HENDERSON *Index* pays "Judge" Cantwell the following equivocal compliment. We give the "Judge" the benefit of it, without charge:

"If there is a man in North Carolina, whom we would have selected to get up a suitable key to a work gotten up by Tourgee, Rodman & Co., our friend Col. Cantwell is the man. We congratulate the legal public upon their good fortune in having such a gentleman as Col. C. to dive into the hidden mysteries of the 'civil code,' and make plain and easy to them its intricacies."

JAIL DELIVERY.—On Saturday night, three prisoners confined in the county Jail of Mecklenburg succeeded in picking a hole through the outside wall of the third story, from which they made their descent to the ground, by means of a rope. Two made their escape, and one was captured.

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, South, commenced its sessions at Statesville, N. C. on Wednesday, the 2nd. inst., and adjourned on Monday last, having had a most harmonious session. Bishop Wightman presided ably over the deliberations of the body. The attendance of ministers and lay delegates, as well as visitors, was large. The people of Statesville, of all denominations, received the hearty thanks of the Conference for their generous and elegant hospitality during its session. Rev. Jno. S. Long and Rev. J. B. Williams were granted locations at their request. But two probations for the ministry were received. Rev. Dr. McFerrin, of Nashville, and Rev. Dr. Duncan, President of Randolph Macon College, were in attendance from other Conferences

The following is a list of the appointments for the ensuing year, which we are enabled to present, in advance of any other paper:

RALEIGH DISTRICT.
L. L. HENDREN, P. E.

Raleigh City Station—H. T. Hudson.
Wesley Chapel.—To be supplied.
Wake Circuit.—J. J. Hines.
Smithfield.—A. R. Raven.
Tar River.—P. J. Carraway.
Louisburg.—J. A. Cunninggim.
Granville.—J. Tillett.
Henderson.—H. H Gibbons.
Nashville.—M. J. Hunt.
Wilson.—Supplied by J. J. Carden.
Editor Epis. Methodist.—J. B. Bobbitt.
Agent Sabbath Schools.—J. Reid.

HILLSBORO' DISTRICT.
W. H. BOBBITT, P. E.

Hillsboro'.—L W Crawford.
Company Shops.—N H D Wilson.
Chapel Hill and Haw River.—O J Brent.
Durham's.—R S Webb.
Pittsboro'.—J B Martin.
Franklinsville.—G C Bynum.
South Guilford.—C H Phillips.
Leasburg.—Jos H Wheeler.
Person.—W M Robey.
Orange.—A W Mangum.
High Rock.—A Norman.
Alamance.—T J Gattis.

GREENSBORO' DISTRICT.
N. F. REID, P. E.

Greensboro'.—W Barringer.
Guilford.—C W King and W B Richardson.
Trinity College and High Point.—B Craven, Pres. of Trinity College.
Thomasville.—W C Wilson.
Davidson.—R G Barrett.
Ashboro.—J B Alford and Z Rush.
Forsyths.—I T Wyche.
Winston.—W W Albea.
Stokes.—C M Pepper.
Madison.—S D Peeler.
Wentworth.—J W Lewis.
Yanceyville.—L Shell.
President of Thomasville College.—D R Bruton.
Professor of Biblical Literature, Trinity College.—Peter Doub.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.
W. CLOSS, P. E.

Salisbury.—J C Thomas.
Rowan.—J F Smoot.
East Rowan.—T L Triplett.
Mocksville.—M V Sherrill.
Yadkinville.—W H Barnes.
Surry.—To be supplied by C C Stimpson.
Mt. Airy.—M L Wood.
Wilkes.—A R Marchison.
Alexander.—To be supplied.
Iredell.—J W Wheeler.
South Iredell.—W C Call.
Blue Ridge, Jonesville and Elkin River.—T N Stevenson.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.
R. S. MORAN, P. E.

Washington and Greenville.—W H Moore.
Warren.—J P Moore.
Roanoke.—W C Gannon.
Wilson.—C C Dodson.
Tarboro'.—J Wheeler.
Washington.—W H Wheeler.
Plymouth and Columbia.—To be supplied.
Mattamuskeet.—D C Johnson.
Portsmouth, Ocracoke and Hatteras.—Geo. E Wyche.
Bath.—To be supplied by J Mahoney.
Church of the Strangers, N. Y. City.—C F Deems.

NEWBERN DISTRICT.
E. A. YATES, P. E.

Newbern.—R A Willis.
Beaufort.—J W Jenkins.
Straits and Cape Lookout.—Supplied by J. Webb.
Morehead City and Trent.—W F Clegg.
Kinston.—W D Meacham.
Jones.—R P Bibb.
Snow Hill.—T P Ricaud.
Newbern Circuit.—N A Hooker.
Goldsboro'.—M C Thomas.
Everittsville.—D Culbreth.
Wayne.—To be supplied.
Neuse.—J B Bailey.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.
L. S. BURKHEAD, P. E.

Wilmington, Front Street.—J H Dally.
" *Fifth* " —R W Robotham.
Topsail.—A D Betts.
Kenansville.—To be supplied.
Magnolia.—F H Wood.
Clinton.—J H Robbins.
Cokesbury.—C Pyler.
Bladen.—C M Anderson.
Elizabeth.—W S Chaffin.
Whiteville.—To be supplied.
Smithville.—(One to be supplied.) W M D Moore, (Sup.)
Onslow.—J D Bale.
Seaman's Bethel.—J N Andrews.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.
S. D. ADAMS, P. E.

Fayetteville.—J E Mann.
Cumberland.—H P Cole.
Robeson.—W M Jordan.
Rockingham.—T W Guthrie.
Montgomery.—B C Phillips.
Usharrie.—J D Thompson and J F Keesans.
Cape Fear.—B B Culbreth.
Jonesboro'.—G Farrar.
Troy.—T C Moses.
Deep River.—J W Avent.

J. P. Simpson transferred to the Kentucky Conference.

THE REASON WHY.—The correspondent of the New York *Herald*, writing from this City, speaking of the commutation of the sentence of Willis, the colored soldier who murdered Anderson Selby, says:

"It is a matter of conjecture among many what could have influenced such an extraordinary Executive clemency. The murder was brutal and atrocious beyond comparison."

The reason is very obvious: Willis is not a white man.

THE *Star* says that the "Governor's" pets are again drilling in the suburbs of Wilmington.

"Young man, what's the price of this silk?" asked a partially deaf old lady.—"Seven dollars," was the reply. "Seventeen dollars?" exclaimed she; "I'll give you thirteen." "Seven dollars, ma'am, is the price of the silk," replied the honest shopman. "Oh, seven dollars?" replied the lady, sharply; "I'll give you five."

For the Sentinel.

THE PENITENTIARY.

MR. EDITOR:—Articles appear almost daily in the papers about the Penitentiary, which was to be built somewhere, and, at last, it seems, *nowhere*.

Now a Committee has been appointed to ferret out the stealings from the State, before the house has been commenced, and if the investigation meets with that success which it doubtless merits, then, in that case, it may have a good effect in the way of checking further stealing for the present. We use the word stealing to apply to the fraud of pretending to give $100,000 for 8,000 acres of poor land, which are not worth $10,000, and never sold for that amount.—We are told that the Committee think the State is bound to ratify their acts, in this purchase, because uncle Burns' bill ignored all former bills, as well as Committees, and put a little clause in it, expressly giving them power to saddle this business on the State—thinking, at the time, it might be a good thing for the State to own a little cheap tract, some ten miles off from the contemplated Penitentiary, for a burying ground. So you see that it seems that the Penitentiary was constructively located before the Committee was named.

Now we are disposed, from all the circumstances, to admit the fact, that when the bill was drawn to appoint six members to locate the Penitentiary, &c., there was an eye single to the purchase of this same 8,000 acres; and, further, that the object was to locate where it has been located, so as to make it cost the State a much larger sum of money, by giving contracts to favorites at high prices, (such as giving $30 per thousand for lumber to build a stockade, which is just double the amount the contract could be let out for in other localities.)

Now, Mr. Editor, I contend that the celebrated bill, confering upon said Penitentiary Committee the power to locate the Penitentiary and to purchase a suitable site, and coal lands, if necessary, for the same, does not confer or delegate any power to buy any additional land in *another* place, neighborhood or county, besides the piece of land bought for the site. The bill simply gives the power to locate the Penitentiary, and, for that purpose, to buy land, if necessary, for the location of the same.

But what are the facts? The Committee have bought a sufficient quantity of land for the Penitentiary site,—twenty-five acres,—and this being enough for, all necessary purposes, their duties so far as buying land for the State, ended; and the State can only be liable for the payment of what the twenty-five acres cost provided there is no fraud about *that* purchase—but, if any fraud about it, then the State is not bound.

But not satisfied with enough land, and more than is necessary, they go off ten miles, and make another purchase of 8,000 acres, at the low price of $12,50 per acre,—or $100,000,—nearly enough to erect half of the building, and, without the State having use for it, or the business of a Penitentiary requiring it. This being the case, we contend that the said purchase of 8,000 acres is null and void, and the State should not let one dollar go towards paying for it.

We are further informed, and believe it to be true beyond a doubt, that this land would not sell, at auction, for fifty cents per acre; and we are informed and believe it to be true, that said tract of land, containing 8,000 acres, was never valued as high as one dollar per acre, before the purchase by the Committee, at the *low* price of $12,50 per acre. And we are informed and believe it to be true, that the same tract of land did not sell as high as one dollar per acre, when the same was procured to be purchased for the State, about the time the Committee purchased it. We are further told, and believe it to be true, that this tract of land, 8,000 acres, has no coal on it, never had, and was never supposed to have, by any one who knows the land. If all this is true, it settles the question about the State's liability, whether there be fraud connected with the purchase or not. Let the investigating Committee get a full transcript from the Register's office, and then you will see who the owners were, and what was paid for it.

CITIZEN OF THE STATE.

A private dispatch from Washington to the *Revolution* says Senator Pomeroy has a bill ready to present, proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving suffrage to all citizens of both sexes, leaving the States to fix the age when the exercise of the right may begin. This will be inducement and encouragement to the equal rights women to press their petitions to Congress with redoubled energy.

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To a man of family I will lease, consecutively, my FERRY PLANTATION, some five miles distant, upon which there is a convenient and well appointed residence. Attached to this place is a FISHERY. THOS. GOODE TUCKER,
Nov 18-wtf Gaston, N. C.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.

Will be sold at Littleton, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on the 22nd day of December, 1868, a Tract of Land belonging to the heirs of William P. Little, deceased, adjoining the lands of Charles Alston, John Myrick, H. Jones and others, containing about

NINE HUNDRED ACRES,

lying within half a mile of the Railroad near Littleton.

Said lands were formerly sold under a decree of the Court of Equity of Halifax County, and purchased by Messrs. Mallory and Myrick, and now sold under a decree of the Court, because of nonpayment of the price.

The terms of payment will be five per cent. cash, and the residue payable in equal instalments, upon a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale. Bond, with good security, will be required, and the purchaser let into possession, but the title will be withheld until payment be made. Any other terms will be made known on the day of sale.

GEO. B. MOORE,
Nov 25-dtw Commissioner

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made at the next Session of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, for an amendment to the Charter of the Caldwell and Watauga Turnpike Company.

J. C. HARPER,
Oct 13-wtf President.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Our Afternoon Dispatches.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8, M.

HOUSE—A motion is pending to return to the Legislature of Oregon a resolution censuring, and requesting the resignation of, their Senators, as impertinent.

Cries from the Democratic side, that Oregon is a sovereign State, are disregarded.

The motion will pass.

LATER.

The Senate adjourned—did nothing.

FOREIGN.

MADRID, Dec. 8, M.

The Republican barricades at Port Santa Maria, in Cadiz, were carried by the Marines.

The authorities here regard the demonstration as merely a local affair. Similar demonstrations are reported at different points.

The Provisional Government is preparing a new tariff.

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8, M.

Gold 1,35¾. North Carolinas 65; new 63. Virginias, ex-coupon, 53; new 57½. Tennessees, ex-coupons, 68½; new 67½.

Cotton steady at 24@24¼.

Turpentine lower at 45½@46. Rosin drooping at 2,35@2 40 for strained common.

Our Midnight Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8, P. M.

Evarts' Assistants have been assigned as follows: J. Hadley Ashton to the Supreme Court, and E. L. Dickey to the Court of Claims.

The Senate is in caucus, for the re-organization of Committees.

The Supreme Court was occupied in hearing the argument of a number of cases involving the constitutionality of the legal tender act, and its application to trusts and contracts made before its passage. The argument will probably occupy two days more.

A memorial was presented to Congress from members of the Georgia Legislature, protesting against the manner of organizing the Provisional Government of Georgia and the subsequent action of the Legislature, wherein the following occurs:

"Your memorialists also respectfully submit to the decision of Congress, whether the Constitutional Amendment has been adopted by the Legislature of Georgia, and whether further legislation is not necessary before the State can legally resume her status as a State in the Union, entitled to all the privileges of a loyal State.—Your memorialists present these facts, in behalf of themselves and over six hundred and fifty thousand loyal citizens of Georgia, and we trust their appeal will not be in vain."

The memorial was signed by Benjamen Conley, President of the Senate, and fifteen other Senators, and J. E. Bryant, J. H. Caldwell, and forty-four members of the House, including the expelled members.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8, P. M.

SENATE—Bills were introduced for the election of President and Vice President directly by the people; removing political disabilities; abolishing the franking privilege; and to continue the Freedmen's Bureau in certain States.

The President was requested to communicate information regarding the relations with the South American Republic and Brazil.

A bill was also introduced extending the jurisdiction of the Court of Claims over Arkansas and Louisiana.

HOUSE—A bill making the tariff on copper from three to five cents, passed.

Several department communications were presented.

The Oregon Legislative Resolutions declare that Williams and Corbett have betrayed and misrepresented the people of that State. Among the acts specified were voting for the impeachment and the Reconstruction Acts. The House passed the following resolution, by a vote of 120 to 35, viz:

"*Resolved*, That the paper be returned to the presiding officers of both Houses of the Oregon Legislature,—the same being scandalous, impertinent and indecorous."

Butler introduced a bill restoring Indian Affairs to the War Department, which passed by a vote of 116 to 33.

Robinson spoke in favor of active measures for the relief of females imprisoned in Great Britian for words spoken and deeds done in America.

The House then adjourned.

THE OHIO DISASTER.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 8, P. M.

Thirty-three bodies have been recovered. The following are recognized, viz: James Johnson, Louisville; John Furnell, Newport; Wm. Johnson, Wallace Farris and Mr. Forbes, of Indiana; Mrs. Gen. W. Griffin, of New Orleans; Mrs. Mary T. Thompson, of Philadelphia.

FROM GEORGIA.

AUGUSTA, Dec. 8, P. M.

It is understood that Gov. Brown, Senator Hill, Col. J. E. Bryant, and other prominent Republicans, are opposed to any further Congressional interference in the affairs of Georgia—disagreeing with and opposing the policy advocated by Gov. Bullock.

They are not willing to admit that the reconstruction of Georgia is a failure.

MARKETS.

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Gold closed dull at 1,35¼ lowest price of the day.

WILMINGTON, Dec 8, P. M.

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Dec. 8-tf

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING qualified as the Administrator, with Will annexed, of the late Edmund B. Freeman, I give notice to the creditors of the deceased to present their claims within the time prescribed by law. KEMP P. BATTLE.
Raleigh, Sept. 30-w6w Adm'r.

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present Session of the General Assembly to incorporate the "Raleigh Cemetery Association."
Nov. 24-1w4w

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Bank of N. C.	40c
" Cape Fear	33
" Charlotte	33
" Wadesboro	27
" Wilmington	33
" Roxboro	60
" Thomasville	20
" Graham	23
" Lexington (old)	10
" " (new)	10
" Commerce	15
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	10
" Washington	4
" Yanceyville	4
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	60
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro', (old)	33
" " " (new.)	12
Miners'and Planters' Bank	40
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	33
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	6
Virginia Bank Notes average about	25
South Carolina "	25
Georgia "	25
N. C. Railroad Stock	15
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" Charlotte	33
" Lexington, (old)	10
" do Graham,	24
" Roxborough	60
" Wadesborough	30
" Thomasville	20
" Wilmington	31
" Commerce	16
" Washington	3
" Fayetteville	11
" Clarendon	4
" Yanceyville	3
Miners' and Planter's Bank	40
Farmers' Bank, Greensborough, new 20, old	30
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	30
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	60
Greensborough Mutual	6
Virginia Bank Notes, about	25
South Carolina "	25
Georgia "	25
Gold	130
Silver	127
Old Coupons	65
North Carolina Railroad Coupons	92
Old Sixes	65
Exchange on New York	¼
R. & G. Railroad Stock	40
N. C. Rail Road,	20
Ral. Gas Light,	110
Ral. National Bank	100
State National Bank	100

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" Charlotte	33
" Clarendon	2
" Commerce	17
" Fayetteville	10
" Lexington, (old,)	10
" " (new.)	10
" Lexington, payable at Graham	23
" North Carolina	60
" Roxboro'	60
" Thomasville	20
" Wadesboro'	30
" Washington	3
" Yanceyville	3
" Wilmington	33
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	33
Farmer's Bank of North Carolina, (old,)	30
" " " (new.)	10
Greensboro' Mutual Insurance Co.	6
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	60
Miner's & Planter's Bank	40
N. C. Coupons	55

Dec 1

PROVISION MARKET.

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BACON	17@25
" BALT. & WESTERN	17@20
BEEF ON HOOF	7@8
" NETT	00@00
BUTTER	30@40
COTTON	21@21¼
CHICKENS, Spring	15@25
" Grown	35@40
CORN	New $2,00, Old 1 30@1 40
COFFEE	22@30
EGGS	17@20
FLOUR	10@11
FODDER, New	90@1 00
HERRINGS	$6 00@10
HIDES—Green	8@9c pr lb.
" Dry	14@16
HAY	pr. cwt. 80@90
LARD	22@25
MEAL—New	90@1 00
MOLASSES	55@65
NAILS	7@8
PEAS—Stock	80@90
" White	90@1 00
POTATOES—Irish, New	75@1 00
" Sweet	40@50
RAGS	4@5
SALT—Fine	$ 70@80
" Ground	3 00@3 10
SUGAR	13@22
TALLOW	10@12½
VINEGAR	35@75
ONIONS	75@1 00
SHEAP OATS	75@1 00
BEESWAX	25@30
MULLETS	8 00@9 00
SHUCKS	75

REMARKS.

Cotton.—a slight decline. Last sales 21¼.

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It will do justice to the men and measures of the present day, whenever they may merit it, but it will unsparingly lash and denounce all who set themselves up in opposition to the Federal Constitution, and hold up to the public indignation corruption and imbecility in high places.

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Dec. 1-tf Editor.

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Applicants of 10 and under 15 years, pay				$5 00
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"	40	"	45 "	13 50
"	45	"	50 "	18 00
"	50	"	55 "	27 25
"	55	"	60 "	36 50
"	60	"	65 "	50 00

☞ For further particulars address the undersigned, QUENT. BUSBEE.

Nov 18 Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

ON MONDAY, THE 14th DAY OF DECEMBER, I will proceed to sell, on the respective premises, by order of the Board of Commissioners, the Town Lots of the following delinquent tax-payers, or as much as will pay the tax:

Andrews, Wm N., Trustee for Nelson King	$ 9 00
" " Mary Andrews,	37 00
Andrews, Ralph N	40 00
Bryan, Mrs J N	2 00
Byrd, Nat	6 00
Beavers, Alsey	18 50
Carpenter, A	1 25
Coates, Thos H	15 00
Cooke, Geo T	80 00
Cowper, Pulaski	67 50
Craven, Simon B	4 25
Dunstan, Norfleet	7 00
Ellen, Henderson	11 00
Evans, Joel	6 00
Ferrell, Miss Minerva	5 00
Ferrell, J J	18 00
Ferrell, M A	8 00
Ferrell, Junius	2 50
Flowers, J J	12 00
Gill, Charles	6 00
Hughes, Henry J	7 00
Hutchings, W B.—balance due	2 00
Harp, Marshall	3 00
Hall, Everard	25 00
Harton, W P	32 00
Hodges, Lucy	8 00
Hutchings, C W D	55 00
Hardie, Alexander	6 00
Hunter, Osborne	5 00
Jones, John A—balance due	12 00
Jones, Mary	2 00
Jones, Emily	1 00
Johnson, Albert	74 50
Mitchell, Alfred —for three years	27 00
Maynard, Green A	9 00
Morgan, Henry	4 00
Moss, Jackson	10 00
Mordecai, Henry	30 00
Malone, Martha	3 00
Nixon E A	15 00
Perry, Cameron	10 00
Pleasants J D. (for self and Green.)	7 00
Pennington, Henry,—balance due	10 00
Parker, W C	25 00
Putney's heirs	25 00
Putney, Mrs S	34 00
Ruse, J P H	47 00
Ray, John	22 00
Ray, J S. (Administrator.)	15 00
Rogers, S H	37 00
Riley, William	5 00
Rowland, William	2 50
Ray, E H	44 00
Rowe, Polly	2 00
Smith, J D	7 00
Skinner, Mrs A	60 00
Smith, Eldridge	25 00
Sugg, Britton	6 00
Sears, John	5 00
Strickland, Calvin	6 00
Stallings, Jane—balance due	2 50
Snow T H	17 00
Sugg, J B	10 00
Smith, Martha	3 00
Towles J M.—balance due	15 00
Thompson, Calvin	5 00
Thompson, William	51 00
Upchurch, Kearney	8 00
Vass, Nat	7 00
Vaughan, Mrs L	6 00
Whitaker, S W.—balance due	6 00
Wilson, J M	8 00
Williams, G W	5 00
Winters, Oscar	10 00
Willard W H	6 00
White, E W	21 00
Wicker, D A. (for three years.)	36 25

JAMES LITCHFORD,
Nov 24-eodtd City Collector.
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R. H. LEE,

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Oct 17-3m*

Liverpool Fine Salt Afloat.

A CARGO of Liverpool FINE SALT, Evans' best Factory filled, momently expected and for sale very low from vessel.

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SEED WHEAT AND WINTER SEED OATS.

100 bushels Lancaster Red Wheat.
100 " Boughton White "
100 " Pa. Blue Stem " "
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All of the above I have taken care to select, and can recommend as the best to be had.

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Dec 1-3m*

Notice.

ON TUESDAY the 22d December next, at the late residence of A. J. Terrell, deceased, I shall sell, at public sale, the crop of CORN, FODDER, SHUCKS and OATS; 1 Yoke of Oxen, 1 Gold Watch, 1 Double barrel Gun, 1 lot Cotton seed, the balance of HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, &c.

I shall, at the same time, rent, for the next year TWO FARMS, the home place and the Phillips place, each containing open land enough for a THREE HORSE FARM.

Terms made known on day of sale.

Dec 5 2w* B. G DUNN, Adm'r.

50 BUSHELS SEED OATS. For sale by

Dec. 5-tf G. T. STRONACH.

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A LARGE LOT, 1 acre, House roomy and pleasantly located, in the Eastern part of the City.

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TARBORO', N. C.

Our friend, Capt. Biggs, is giving to the public a capital Weekly, ardent in its advocacy of Democratic principles. It is located in the rich Cotton County of Edgecombe, and in one of the prettiest villages of the State, among an energetic people. It has a good circulation and advertising patronage. Price $3 per annum. Address

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Sept. 9-tf DENNIS HEARTT.

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WM. BRENAN.
Sept. 9-tf

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Dec 1 JOSEPH CARR.

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Oct. 15, 3m.

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JAMES H ENNISS,
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300 TONS SHELL LIME.
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Which I will deliver on board the cars at Portsmouth for seven dollars and fifty cents ($7,50) per Ton of 2,000 lbs.

Deposit your money and give me your orders.

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Raleigh Dec 1-tf

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Nov 23-tf D. P. WILLIAMSON.

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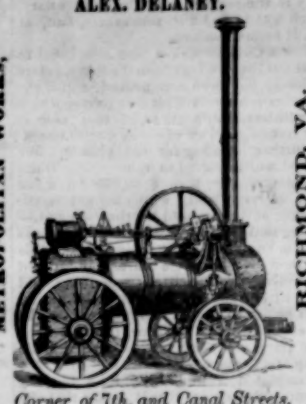

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Nov 17-d3m.

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Dec. 1

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WARRANTED to last from eighteen months to two years, and a child ten years of age can scour a house neatly in a short time, removing all grease spots and stains of every description, with a little cold water, soap or soda, no sand or hot water required, besides drying it thoroughly at the same time.

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Fresh Ground Plaster.

50 TONS Fresh Ground Plaster, which I will furnish in strong sacks, delivered on board the cars at Portsmouth, Va., for fourteen dollars ($14) per Ton of 2,000 lbs. CASH orders solicited.

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5 bbls. Bumgardner Whiskey, warranted pure.

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CORN MEAL.

100 bushels prime.

Dec 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

CORN.

Another supply.

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Notice.

ALL PERSONS holding claims against me are requested to present them to Messrs. Rogers and Batchelor, my Attorneys in Raleigh

J. ROBERT JEFFREYS.

Pacific, Nov 30-2aw3w*

ANOTHER lot of superior LAGUYRA Coffee, At G T STRONACH'S.

Dec. 1-tf

JAVA, LAGUIRA, AND RIO COFFEES. At

Dec. 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

AN ACT

IN RELATION TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF CLERKS OF SUPERIOR COURTS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That as this act will be incorporated in the general act respecting the practice and procedure of the Courts, required to be reported to the General Assembly at its present session, by the commissioners appointed for that purpose, it will be printed in the general act and not elsewhere among the acts of this General Assembly, unless otherwise hereafter directed.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of State is required to have the third section of this act, and that portion relating to the Superior Court Clerks, printed at least weekly in four papers published in this state, and the sum necessary for that purpose is hereby appropriated from any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. The terms of the several Superior Courts of this State shall begin in each year at the times hereinafter stated, and shall continue to be held for two weeks (Sundays and legal holidays excepted,) unless the business shall be sooner disposed of.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Bertie county first Monday in March and October.
Hertford, third Monday in March and October.
Gates, fourth Monday after the first Monday in March and October.
Chowan, sixth Monday after the first Monday in March and October.
Perquimans, eighth Monday after the first Monday in March and October
Pasquotank, tenth Monday after the first Monday in March and October.
Camden, twelfth Monday after the first Monday in March and October.
Currituck, fourteenth Monday after the first Monday in March and October.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Tyrrell county, the first Monday in September and February.
Washington, third Monday in September and February.
Martin, second Monday after the third Monday in September and February.
Hyde, fourth Monday after the third Monday in September and February.
Beaufort, sixth Monday after the third Monday in September and February.
Pitt, eighth Monday after the third Monday in September and February.
Edgecombe, tenth Monday after the third Monday in September and February.

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Wayne county, the first Monday in September and February.
Jones, the third Monday in September and February.
Onslow, first Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.
Craven, third Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.
Lenoir, fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.
Greene, seventh Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.
Carteret, ninth Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.
Wilson, eleventh Monday after the fourth Monday in September and February.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Robeson county, on the fourth Monday in August and February.
Bladen, second Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.
Columbus, fourth Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.
Brunswick, sixth Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.
New Hanover, eighth Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.
Sampson, tenth Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.
Duplin, twelfth Monday after the fourth Monday in August and February.

FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Harnett county, the second Monday in August and February.
Moore, second Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Montgomery, fourth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Stanly, sixth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Union, eighth Monday after second Monday in August and February.
Anson, tenth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Richmond, twelfth Monday after the second Monday in August and February
Cumberland, fourteenth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Granville county, second Monday in August and February
Warren, second Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Franklin, fourth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Johnston, sixth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Wake, eighth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Nash, tenth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Halifax, twelfth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.
Northampton, fourteenth Monday after the second Monday in August and February.

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Guilford county, the first Monday in March and September.
Rockingham, the second Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Caswell, fourth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Person sixth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Orange, eighth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Chatham, tenth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Randolph, twelfth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.
Alamance, fourteenth Monday after the first Monday in March and September.

EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Davie county, the first Monday in April and September.
Rowan, third Monday in April and September.
Davidson, second Monday after the third Monday in April and September.
Forsythe, fourth Monday after the third Monday in April and September.
Stokes, sixth Monday after the third Monday in April and September.
Surry, eighth Monday after the third Monday in April and September.
Yadkin, tenth Monday after the third Monday April and September.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Polk county, the first Monday in March and September.
Rutherford, third Monday in March and September.
Cleveland, second Monday after the third Monday in March and September.
Lincoln, fourth Monday after the third Monday in March and September.
Gaston, sixth Monday after the third Monday in March and September
Mecklenburg, eighth Monday after the third Monday in March and September
Cabarrus, tenth Monday after the third Monday in March and September

TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Catawba county, first Monday in March and September
Alexander, third Monday in March and September
Iredell, second Monday after the third Monday in March and September
Wilkes, fourth Monday after the third Monday in March and September
Caldwell, sixth Monday after the third Monday in March and September
Burke, eighth Monday after the third Monday in March and September
McDowell, tenth Monday after the third Monday in March and September

ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Alleghany county, first Monday in April and September
Ashe, third Monday in April and September
Watauga, second Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Mitchell, fourth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Yancey, sixth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Madison, eighth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Buncombe, tenth Monday after the third Monday in April and September

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Clay county, the first Monday in April and September.
Cherokee, third Monday in April and September
Macon, second Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Jackson, fourth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Haywood, sixth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Transylvania, eighth Monday after the third Monday in April and September
Henderson, tenth Monday after the third Monday in April and September

SHIRTINGS.

A few Bales Rocky Mount Sheetings—4, Extra Heavy. By the Bale or Bolt.

Nov. 15-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

DRY GOODS.

McCAULEY, FREELAND & Co.,

GROCERS

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

HARGETT STREET,

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JUST RECEIVED.

25 Bags fair to prime Rio Coffee.
10 " Laguira and Java Coffee.
30 bbls Sugars, assorted grades.
15 boxes Soaps, assorted.
200 sacks Salt.
10 bbls. Syrup.
50 kegs Nails.
10 " Horse Shoes.
10 boxes Axes.
1,500 lbs Sole Leather.
500 " Harness Leather.
5,000 " Iron, assorted.
20 boxes Adamantine Candles.
30 boxes French Window Glass.
200 lbs. Putty.
5,000 lbs. Bacon.
10 Gross Parlor Matches.
10 bushels Clover Seed
10 bbls. Soda and Butter Crackers.
10 boxes Green and Black Teas.

In addition to the above, we have on hand a large stock of Wood Ware, Hollow Ware, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Confectioneries, &c.

We shall add to our stock at least twice a week from our up-country Stores, supplies of

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We would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Raleigh and vicinity to our stock, pledging our best efforts to please them in quality and prices.

Consignments of Produce solicited. Prompt returns made. Respectfully,

McCAULEY, FREELAND, & CO.,
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Raleigh, Sept. 14-3m*

TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

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DRY GOODS,

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PETERSBURG, Va.,

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